H. R. 2585

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IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

JULY 1, 1993

Mr. Gekas introduced the following bill; which was referred to the Committee on Government Operations

A BILL

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- 1 Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representa-
- 2 tives of the United States of America in Congress assembled,
- 3 SECTION 1. FIXED MAXIMUM DEFICIT AMOUNTS.
- 4 (a) MAXIMUM DEFICIT AMOUNT.—Section 3(a) of
- 5 the Congressional Budget and Impoundment Control Act
- 6 of 1974 is amended by inserting at the end the following:

| 1 | "(11) The term 'maximum deficit amount' |
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| 2 | means— |
| 3 | "(A) with respect to fiscal year 1994, |
| 4 | \$322,800,000,000; |
| 5 | "(B) with respect to fiscal year 1995, |
| 6 | \$269,000,000,000; |
| 7 | "(C) with respect to fiscal year 1996, |
| 8 | \$215,200,000,000; |
| 9 | "(D) with respect to fiscal year 1997, |
| 10 | \$161,400,000,000; |
| 11 | "(E) with respect to fiscal year 1998, |
| 12 | \$107,600,000,000; |
| 13 | "(F) with respect to fiscal year 1999, |
| 14 | \$53,800,000,000; and |
| 15 | "(G) with respect to fiscal year 2000, |
| 16 | zero.''. |
| 17 | (b) REPEAL OF TITLE VI.—Title VI of the Congres- |
| 18 | sional Budget Act of 1974 is repealed. |
| 19 | SEC. 2. EXTENSION OF THE BALANCED BUDGET AND EMER- |
| 20 | GENCY DEFICIT CONTROL ACT OF 1985. |
| 21 | (a) Applicability of Earlier Version of the |
| 22 | Act.—Part C of the Balanced Budget and Emergency |
| 23 | Deficit Control Act of 1985, as in effect immediately be- |
| 24 | fore November 5, 1990, for fiscal year 1992 shall apply |
| 25 | to each of fiscal years 1994 through 1999, as the case |

- 1 may be, and for fiscal year 1993 shall apply to fiscal year
- 2 2000.
- 3 (b) Inapplicability of Current Version of the
- 4 Act.—Part C of the Balanced Budget and Emergency
- 5 Deficit Control Act of 1985, as in effect immediately be-
- 6 fore the date of enactment of this Act, shall not apply to
- 7 fiscal years 1994 through 2000.
- 8 (c) Extension of Expiration Date.—Section
- 9 274(b) of the Balanced Budget and Emergency Deficit
- 10 Control Act of 1985 is amended by striking "1995" and
- 11 inserting "2001".

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